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Serial Nos. 3 to 8

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Report on the working of the Game & Fish
preservation Regulation for 1905

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To the S. G. of Police

no 5347 d 12.4.06.
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Submits his report on the work

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for the calendar year 1905.

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To. The I. G. of Police in Mysore

No 23087 d 4.5.06
Leg 6-4

Requests him to send the original reports of the various ~~of~~ magistrates as required in para 2 of G.O. no 3328-40 Leg 5-14 d 20.5.05, invites his attention to paras 4, 5, & 6 of the same order enquiring what steps have been taken by him to give effect to the directions contained therein and directs that the ~~of~~ magistrates of Kadur should be asked to submit an explanation for the very large number of Arms licenses issued in his ~~of~~ and to suggest how far it would be feasible to reduce the number to reasonable limits.

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To. The same officer

No 6458/737 d 31.5.06

Forwards the reports in original received from the District Magistrate of all districts.

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No 1629/150 d 21.8.06

Submits his report with reference
to paras 3 & 4 & no 3087 Regs 6-4
d 4.5.06.

7. From the same office

No 1692/184 d 30.8.06

Forwards for information
Copy of letter dated 25.6.06
from the President of the
Mysore Game & Fish Pre-
servation Association,
noting the good work done by
the Station House officer Haubal.

8. To the I. G. of Police

Respectably to the Secretary,
Game & Fish Preservation

- G.P. No J 1911-20 Regs

6-05-8 d 8-1-07

Reviews the reports on the working

P.

of the Game & Fish Preservation
Regulation with certain
remarks.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Legislation)

NOTES.

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FILE HEADING.

Report on the working of the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation for the Calendar year 1905.

FROM

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

No. 347
594

Dated 12.4.06 Received 16.4.06

Diary No. 92626 }

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Serial No. 3

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

submits his report on the working of the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation for the Calendar year 1905.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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Submitted. ^x Govt. Proceedings No. 3328-40/Leg 15-14, dated the 20th May 1905, directed that the reports on the working of the Game & Fish Preservation Regulation should be submitted to Govt through the Inspector General of Police in Mysore. ^x Govt

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* Proceedings No 536/ Reg. 6-2, dated the 23rd August 1905 required the J.G to prepare the report for the Calendar year and submit it by the 1st of March every year. The present report is therefore the first report of its kind on this Regulation.

✓ The total number of licenses issued under this Regulation is 226 for the whole State, 198 of which ~~being~~^{were} District Game licenses, 13 ~~being~~^{to} District Game licenses including State Forests, and 15 ~~being~~ Provincial Game licenses and the amount of fees realised during the year ~~to~~^{for} Rs 1560. Of the 226 licenses 151 were taken out by Europeans & Eurasians, and the rest by Natives.

3 As regards the results of prosecution under this Regulation, The J.G states that 36 cases involving 124 persons were taken up for breach of the Rules, with the result that 21 cases with 87 persons ended in conviction, 12 cases with 34 persons ended in discharge or acquittal, and the remaining 3 cases with 2 persons were pending trial at the close of the year. It is also stated that, out of the persons taken up for breach of the Rules, two persons made their escape.

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4 The Game & Fish Preservation Association, it is stated, is doing much good by bringing to the notice of Govt. infringements of the Rules by both Europeans & Natives, who have been prosecuted and convicted.

5 The total number of licenses issued to possess guns under the Arms Act is 13,308 for the whole State. The Malnad District of Kadur shows the largest number of licenses issued viz, 2557, and the District of Hassan 902; The licenses under the Game & Fish Preservation Regulation being 55 & 38 respectively. The J.G. considers that the number of licenses issued in the Kadur District is far in excess of what is necessary or expedient and, as there is also a general feeling that the Regulation is not being properly worked in the Districts of Hassan & Kadur, suggests that immediate steps may be taken to reduce the number of licenses issued, to reasonable limits.

6 The District in which there were no prosecutions under the Regulation ~~was~~ is Kolar, the reason being, as the District Magistrate himself reports, that endeavours are being made to put down surreptitious shooting as much as possible & that canarese copies of the Game Rules have been distributed

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to Taluks for wide publication.

7 Lastly, the D.G. states that he is issuing a circular in the Police Department calling special attention to the important sections & the powers of the Police under the Regulation & Rules and that, as there is ample opportunity in all districts for persons to evade the Rules unchecked, it is desirable that all Police & Forest Officers should be held strictly responsible for the more stringent enforcement of the Regulation & the Rules thereunder.

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Submitted with a draft reviewing the report.

~~XXA~~ SN
26-4-06 27-4-06

by Secretary) 9 What is the good of repeating in the draft order all that ~~is~~ is detailed in the report itself, which is short enough?

10 The D.G.'s report does not show what ~~order~~ action was taken on the various directions contained in the previous year's review order.

11 He also comments on the large no. of licences issued in the Kachar Dy. without any endeavour to ascertain

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Why they were issued & whether the number
can be reduced -

and think an explanation on these
points is necessary before Govt. can
profitably deal with the report -

13 Draft - put up, which might be
considered, if approved by Secy -

Secy

14 Paper
2.5.1906

30/5/06

4 To

The J. G. of Police in Mysore.

No. 3087, dated 4.5.06.
Leg 15-4

Requests him to send the
original reports of the various District Magistrates as
required in para 2 of G.O. No 3328-40/Leg 15-14, dated
the 20th May 1905, invites his attention to paras 4, 5 & 6
of the same order enquiring what steps have been taken
by him to give effect to the directions contained therein,
and directs that the District Magistrate of Kadur should
be asked to submit an explanation for the very large
number of Arms licenses issued in his District; & to
suggest how far it would be feasible to reduce the
number to reasonable limits.

5 From

The same officer.

Letter no: 6453/737 d. 31st May 1906.

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No.

Forwards the reports in original received from the District Magistrates of all districts. 15 Subd. As regards the queries raised in Serial no 4 above, the 24/2 states that information has been called for from District Magistrates.

Subd: for orders.

C.R.D. 16 The replies from the District Magistrates referred to above and a final report thereon by the Inspector General of Police have to be awaited; before the present report is dealt with. May the file be kept in suspense till then?

R.C. 17 Yes. Reminders to be issued from time to time.

18 The explanation called for will throw light on a part of the Report on the working of the Arms Regulation.

7.6.06

From

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The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore

No: 1429/150 dated 21.8.06

Submits his report with reference to paras 3 and 4 of no: 23087 Legis 6-4 & 4/5.06

Subd 19 The replies to the queries raised in the above are

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The draft renewed is rather belated. It may be approved

by 2/2/06

7-1-06

27/12/06

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21/4/06

26 draft approved by Dewan. (with D & AB.)
29/12/06

27 Done, & then when D.O. came to the Dewan, the draft was approved

Done & then
D.O. came

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D.O. Correspondence was returned with accpts of the order on 22/4/07.

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Draft done

30 full draft No. 1511-20 / reg 6-0528 28/1/07
to the Secy of Police, Dist. Magistrate,
& the Hon. Secy, Jammu & Kashmir Govt.

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Secy 1614
J. 2626
1905-06

From

The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of
H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl: & Rev: Depts.

Dated 12

Despatched 14 April 06

Received.

General NO: 5347
NO: 594 Genl

Forwarding report on the working
of the Game & Fish Preservation
Regulation for the Calendar Year 1905

no: 5347-1
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Office of the
Inspector General of Police in Mysore,

Dated, Bangalore 12th April 1906.

File no: 6

S. no: 3

From,

F.E.C.Carr Esquire,

Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

To,

B.K.Venkata Varada Iyengar Esquire,

Secretary to the Govt: of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith the report
on the working of the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Regu-
lation and the Rules framed thereunder for the Calendar Year
1905.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



Inspector General of Police.



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Report on the working of the Game and Fish Preservation
Regulation and the Rules thereunder for the Calendar Year 1905.

* Vide flag 2.
page 4.

1. The Government Proceedings No: 536/Leg. 6-2
dated the 23rd: of August 1905 requiring me to submit a
report regarding the working of this Regulation having been
received too late last Year, the following is the first
report of its kind on this Regulation.

The statement given below shows the total number
and description of licenses issued under this Regulation,
and the amount of fees realised during the year under report.

District	District Game Licenses	District Game Licenses includ- ing State Forests	Provincial Game License	Total	Amount of license-fees realized.
Bangalore	12	"	8	20	260
Kolar	28	2	1	31	195
Tumkur	7	"	"	7	35
Mysore	46	7	4	57	435
Hassan	38	"	"	38	190
Shimoga	10	3	1	14	120
Kadur	53	1	1	55	305
Chitaldrug	4	"	"	4	20
Total	198	13	15	226	1560.

Of the 226 licenses 151 were taken out by
Europeans, and Eurasians, and the rest by Natives.

The results of prosecutions under this Regulation
during the year are shown below;-

District	Number of Cases				Number of persons				Remarks
	Prosecuted	Ending in conviction	Ending in discharge or acquittal	Under trial at the close of the year	Prosecuted	Convicted	Acquitted or Discharged	Under trial at the close of the year	
Bangalore	1	1	"	"	4	4	"	"	
Kolar	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Tumkur	1	1	"	"	8	8	"	"	
Mysore	7	3	2	2	14	10	2	2	
Hassan	8	4	3	1	27	18	8	"	* 1 person escaped
Shimoga	6	5	1	"	37	28	9	"	
Kadur	9	4	5	"	22	11	11	"	
Chitaldrug	4	3	1	"	12	8	4	"	
Total	36	21	12	3	124	87	34	2	* 1 person escaped

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36 cases involving 124 persons were taken up for breach of the Rules under this Regulation, with the result that 21 cases with 87 persons ended in conviction, 12 cases with 34 persons ended in discharge or acquittal, and the remaining 3 cases with 2 persons were pending trial at the close of the year.

The Game and Fish Preservation Association have taken considerable interest in the working of the Regulation, as evidenced by the Association bringing to the notice of Government infringements of the Rules by both Europeans and Natives, who have been prosecuted and convicted.

The total number of licenses issued to possess guns under the Arms Act is given below:-

District	Number of licenses issued under the Arms Act
Bangalore	2510
Kolar	1542
Tumkur	1893
Mysore	1513
Hassan	902
Shimoga	1812
Kadur	2557
Chitaldrug	579
Total	13308

The Malnad District of Kadur shows the largest number of licenses issued viz, 2557, and the District of Hassan 902; the Licenses under the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation being 55 and 38 respectively, in these Districts. I certainly consider that the number of licenses issued in the Kadur District is far in excess of what is necessary or expedient, and I would suggest that immediate steps may be taken to reduce this number to reasonable limits.

There is a general feeling in the Districts of Hassan and Kadur, that the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation is not being properly worked. This cannot be otherwise, until the promiscuous granting of licenses under the Arms Act is

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regulated and restricted.

The District in which there were no prosecutions under the Regulation was Kolar and the District Magistrate reports as follows;-

" Endeavours are being made to put down surreptitious shooting as much as possible. Canarese Copies of the Game Rules have been distributed to Taluks for wide publication in the villages. It is hoped that the public will be prevented from killing game and shooting during the close season."

I am issuing a circular in the Police Department calling special attention to the important Sections and the powers of the Police under the Regulation and Rules.

As it is, there is ample opportunity in all Districts for persons to evade the Rules unchecked, and it is desirable that all Police and Forest Officers should be held strictly responsible for the more stringent enforcement of the Regulation and the Rules thereunder.



Sub
Inspector General of Police.

No 93007/Dep-4 D/4.5.08.

To
The Inspector in Charge

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 53477/594 of the 12: April 1908, regarding your report on the working of the same law during the year 1905; & to observe that there was a delay of over a month in submitting it, which is not all right.

2. I am to ask you to send ^{the original} ~~the original~~ reports of the District Magistrate ~~also in original~~, as required in para 2 of Govt order No 3320-40 - D/15-14 of the 20th May 1908.

3. In inviting your attention to paras 4, 5 & 6 of the same order, I am to enquire what steps have been taken to give effect to the directions contained therein, and in particular

- i) Whether copies of the same bye-laws have been posted up at Police Stations & Chaudhries;
- ii) Whether ^{they are aware of them} Village & Panchayat officials have failed in their duty to prevent unlawful forms of collection.

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replies from Districts.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



Inspector General of Police.

no 8945-

Bangalore District.
District Magistrate's Office.
Bangalore 21st March 1906.

From,

Reg no 706

D. Devenraj Urs Esquire
District Magistrate.
Bangalore District.

To

F. E. C. Carr

Inspector General of Police
in Mysore
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to make
the following report on the working
of the Mysore Game and Fish preser-
vation Regulation for the calendar
year 1905.

2. During the period 20 licenses
were issued as against 31 granted
during the year 1904. Of the above
20, eight were provincial licenses

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as against 8⁰⁰ of the previous year
and twelve were confined for the
District as against 23 of the kind
during the previous year.

3. Of the persons to whom
licenses were so granted, six pro-
vincial and two District licenses
were taken by Military Officers;
two provincial and seven District
were taken up by the European and
EurAsian classes; while only two
District licenses were applied for by
Natives.

4. The income to Government
in the shape of General Stamp was
Rs 260/- for the year as against
Rs 315/- of the previous year, the de-
crease in the amount corresponding
to the decrease in the number of licenses.

5. A tabulated comparative

12 ✓ Reg No 412
1906

From
H. P. Puttannachetty Esq.
Deputy Commissioner and
District Magistrate
Kolar District

To
J. C. C. Carr Esq.
Inspector General of
Police - in Mysore.

Dated 24th February 1906.

Despatched 27th

Received

General No. 7109
No.

Enclosure No.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward the following report on the working of the Game and Fish Regulation and the rules framed thereunder in this District during the Calendar year 1905.

2. 31 Game licenses were issued for the Calendar year 1905 as against 34 in the previous year. The names of the persons to whom licenses were issued and the amount of fees recovered during the year

No. and name of
License holders and
the amount of fees
recovered.

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under report are shown in
the statement hereunder.

Serial No.	Names of persons to whom licenses were issued.	Date of License	Date of termination of the license	Amount of fees received.	Remarks.
1	M ^r S. Capps.	23-1-05	31-12-05	5 u u	
2	" Abdul Gauri.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
3	" C. S. Long.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
4	" E. Bridges.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
5	" S. Galleger.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
6	" Martani Bonifacio.	8-2-05	- do -	5 u u	
7	" R. Meaton	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
8	" H. B. Meaton.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
9	" J. S. A. D' Cruz.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
10	" L. B. Rego.	10-2-05	- do -	5 u u	
11	" J. H. Drew.	27-2-05	- do -	5 u u	
12	" J. D. Drew.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
13	" J. Dave.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
14	" Edward Bray.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
15	" Harry Castle.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
16	" G. Keith.	9-3-05	- do -	5 u u	
17	" J. A. Mathews.	6-4-05	- do -	5 u u	
18	" Rabogliatti Petro.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
19	" G. J. Ingram Cotton.	8-4-05	- do -	15 u u	For the Dist ^{ts} including State forests.
20	" S. Johns.	20-7-05	- do -	5 u u	
21	" J. Baug.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
22	" Gordon	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
23	" Dunat.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
24	" J. Sargent.	12-8-05	- do -	5 u u	
25	" G. Bosworth Smith.	14-9-05	- do -	25 u u	Provincial to the Province including State forests.
26	" B. D. Roza.	15-9-05	- do -	5 u u	
27	" W. J. McCost.	25-9-05	- do -	5 u u	
28	" D. W. Dally.	8-10-05	- do -	5 u u	
29	" Geo. Burnett.	- do -	- do -	5 u u	
30	" Frank Blake	20-10-05	- do -	5 u u	
31	" E. Gaudart.	24-12-05	- do -	15 u u	For the Dist ^{ts} including State forests.
				195 u u	

3. It will be seen from the statement above, that 2 native Sportsmen viz: Messrs Abdel Gann and R. S. Rego took out game licenses for the year under report ~ against none in the previous year. A sum of Rs: 195/- was recovered under fees for game licenses during the year against Rs: 200/- in the previous year.

4. Endeavours are being made to put down surreptitious shooting as much as possible. Kanarese copies of the game rules have been distributed to Talukhs for wide publication in the villages. It is hoped that the Public

will be prevented from killing prohibited games and shooting during close seasons.

5. There were no prosecutions during the year under report under the Regulation and the rules framed thereunder.

6. Circulars were issued to all the Talukhs enquiring as to whether there are any streams or lakes or any portion of them fit for being closed against fishing during the whole or any part of the year or during the spawning seasons. Reports received from all the Amildars

go to show that there are no such rivers or lakes in their respective taluhs requiring protection under rule 5 of Government Notification N^o-9007- Legis 50 dated 11th February 1901

7. 1542 gun licenses were issued during the year of which 1540 were for self protection and protection of property, and 2 for killing wild animals. A fee of annas 4 per license in the shape of Stamp paper is recovered for the former class of licenses and no fee is levied for the latter class of licenses which are granted only to

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recognized native
Shikars residing in
Jungly and hilly tracts
infested with wild
animals or to men
employed for the purpose
of killing wild animals.

8. No breaches of the
game rules by license
holders were reported
during the year.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

your most obedient

W. H. Cunningham

Deputy Commissioner
District Magistrate
Kolar District

recd.

Very urgent.
1905-06.

Res 20401

From *H. Dera Kwami Esq Esq*
District Magistrate
Tumkur District

To *H. E. C. Carr Esq*
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

Dated *5th*

Despatched

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Received

March 1906.

General No.

g No. *462*

Enclosure No. *one*

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2-3-26*

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith the report on the working of the Game and Fish preservation Regulation for the calendar year 1905 as called for in your letter no 4414 dated P.B. 224 February 1906.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

Emphthemy

by For District Magistrate.

Report on the Working of the
Mysore Game and Fish
Preservation Regulation
during the year 1905.

Seven Licences for the
pursuit of Game in this
District excluding Govern-
ment State Forests and
Plantations were issued
during the year 1905. Five
of the License holders were
Europeans and two were
Hindus

2. The total Amount of
Fees collected for issuing
these Licences was Rs 35/-

3. Only one case of the
breach of Law was report-
ed during the year and
that was catching fish
during the Close Season.

The persons who were
concerned in it were prosecuted
and convicted under Section
II Clause 6(a) of the Game
Rules by the Amildar
Magistrate of the Tiptur

Salute.

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4. Particular attention is being paid to directions contained in para 6 of Government Order no 3328-40
Sep. 15-14
dated 20 May 1905 and neither new Licenses nor under Mysore Arms Regulation are granted nor the renewal of old ones permitted in favor of persons against whom a reasonable suspicion exists of their tendency to misuse the permission to possess and carry fire-arms.

W. H. P. H. H.

For District Magistrate.

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From

H. H. Sparkes Esquire,
District Magistrate,
Mysore

To

H. E. C. Lowe Esquire,
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

Dated

5th

March 1906

Despatched

Received

General No. 2373.
No.

Recd. 4,
Apr 1906.

Enclosure No

Sir

I have the honor to forward herewith the following report on the working of the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation for the calendar year 1905.

2 The total no of licenses issued during the year was 57, and the fees collected thereon was Rs 435, as compared with 45 and Rs 315 respectively during the year 1904.

of

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Of the 57 licensees, 26 were Europeans, 15 of whom being from outside the Province, 16 Hindus, 8 mahamadans, 4 Eurasians, 2 Native Christians and one Parsee. Classed according to locality 4 licenses were for the whole Province, 7 for the State Forests, and 46 for the District Forests.

3 There were 7 prosecutions involving 14 persons under the Game Laws during the year, of which 3 cases involving 10 persons resulted in conviction, 2 cases involving 2 persons in acquittal or discharge; and 2 cases involving 2 persons were under trial at the close of the year, as against 3 prosecutions involving 7 persons during the previous year.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

your most obedient servant,

W. D. M. M. M.

For District Magistrate
of Mysore.

P. R.

Res no 341 23
1905-06.

From P. Q. W. Wetherall Esq.,
District Magistrate,
Hassan.

To F. E. C. Carr Esquire,
Inspector General of Police

Dated ^{in Mysore - Bangalore} 28th February 1906.
Despatched 4-3-06

Received

General No. 510
No. 918

Enclosure No Two.

Recd. by
5/3/06

Sir,

In pursuance of your
Circular No. 1900 dated
P.C. 90
23rd September 1905 forward-
ing copy of Government
Proceedings No. J. 536-44
Lajo. 6-2
dated 23rd August 1905
directing that the Annual
Report on the working
of the Game and Fish
Preservation Regulation
II of 1901 and the Rules
framed thereunder should
be submitted for the
Calendar

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Calendar year by the 1st of March every year, I have the honor to submit the accompanying statements I and II concerning the working of the said Regulation and ^{the} Rules framed thereunder in this district during the Calendar year 1905.

2 - Statement No. I shows that 35 game licenses to Europeans and 3 to Natives were issued during the Calendar year 1905 for pursuing game in the Itapian District against 28 similar licenses to Europeans and 2 to Natives during the previous year 1904, thus showing an increase of 8 game licenses during the year under report. This increase is attributable to a larger number of game licenses being issued to Europeans residing beyond the limits of Itapian District.

3 - All the licenses applied for
and

and ifned were for shooting within
the limits of this District excluding
State Forests, and there were no
applications either for the Counter
signature of game licenses by the
Conservator of Forests or by the
Inspector General of Police in Mysore
to shoot in the State Forests or
throughout the entire State respectively.

4— Statement No. II shows that
8 cases involving 27 persons were
instituted during the year 1905—
against 3 cases involving 7 persons
during the previous year 1904. Of these
3 cases concerning 8 persons ended
in acquittal of the accused persons,
4 cases concerning 18 persons ended
in conviction, and 1 case concerning
1 person is pending disposal owing to
the absconding of the accused.

5- Against the order of acquittal of
5 persons by Mr. V. Kantinavachar
Amildar Magistrate of Manjarabad
Taluk concerned in a case belonging
to that Taluk, upon a reference re-
ceived from the President of the
Mysore Game and Fish Preservation
Association, Government sanction
was obtained to an appeal being
preferred to the Chief Court through
the Government Advocate urging
that the order of acquittal of the
accused persons was illegal, since
there was clear admission on the
part of the accused persons of
having contravened Rule 4 of
the Regulation by tying a Seeré -
(woman's cloth) across the stream,
erecting a dam across the stream
and fixing a creel in it, and thus
illegally catching fish in it. The
Chief Court of Mysore in setting
aside the order of acquittal of the
Amildar

Amildar Magistrate convicted 3 of
the accused persons and sentenced
them to pay a fine of Rs 2/- each. There-
-upon Government in their Proceedings
No. J. 1882-91 dated 9th January

Courts 91-05-7

1906 called attention of all Deputy
Commissioners to this case, the same
being published in the Mysore
Gazette for general information.

6-. Out of the 4 cases which ended
in conviction, 2 cases were against
2 European Coffee Planters of
Mudigere Taluk which were tried
and disposed of by me as Justice of
the Peace. In one of these cases the
Honorary Secretary of the Mysore
Game and Fish Preservation
Association lodged a complaint
against Mr. R. W. Fremden of
Buskull Estate as having contra-
-vened Rule 3 of the Game
Regulation

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Regulation by shooting an antelope
near Halebid ⁱⁿ ~~of~~ Belur Taluk. He was
tried and convicted by me to pay a
fine of Rs 10/-. The other case was against
Mr H. G. Bower of Handi Estate, Mudigere
Taluk. The District Magistrate of
Chittaldrup directed the Police Inspector
of Hosdurg Taluk to prosecute Mr
Bower for having shot antelope in
Hosdurg Taluk of the Chittaldrup
District without a game license
applicable to that District, which
was in contravention of Rule 9
of the Game Regulation. The case
was tried by me and the accused
Mr Bower was found guilty and
sentenced to pay a fine of Rs 10/-.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

M. W. L. M. R. L.

District Magistrate

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Hassan.

No I Statement of Game Licenses issued by the District Magistrate of Hassan and the Sub Divisional Magistrate of Sahaspur.

Calander Year	Licenses issued for shooting in the Hassan District excluding State Forests.		Licenses Counter signed by the Conservator of Forests for shooting in the State Forests of Hassan District		Licenses Counter signed by the Conservator of Forests for shoot- ing in state Forests of more than one District		Licenses Counter signed by the Inspector Gen- eral of Police extending them to the whole of The Mysore State		Total		Remarks.
	Europeans	Natives	Europeans	Natives	Europeans	Natives	Europeans	Natives	Europeans	Natives	
1904	28	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	28	2	
1905	35	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	35	3	

Dated: Hassan }
28th February 1906 }

M. Wetherall
District Magistrate
Hassan District

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No. II. Statement of cases under the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Regulation tried and disposed of in the Hassan District.

Calendar Year	Number of offences enquired into or tried during the Year.	Number of persons under enquiry or trial during the Year.	Number of persons acquitted or discharged	Number of persons convicted	Number of persons died, escaped or transferred	Number of persons committed	Number of persons pending	Remarks.
1904	3*	7	1	7	.	.	.	* Including 1 Case 1 person received by transfer from the Shimoga District.
1905	8	27	8	18	1	.	.	* Escaped 30

Dated Hassan
28th February 1906

M. Wetherall
District Magistrate
H. Hassan District

No 2402.

District Magistrate's Court
31 Shimoga,
27th March 1906.

From,

Reg No 534

M. S. Narayana Rao Esquire
District Magistrate
Shimoga.

To,

F. E. C. Carr Esquire
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore

Sir,

With reference to your
letter No 4767 dated 17th Instant,
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I have the honour to state that
out of 6 cases instituted under
the Game and Fish Regulation
during the year 1905, five cases
involving 28 persons, ended in
conviction.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Edmund J. [Signature]

For District Magistrate
Shimoga.

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27/3/06

[Signature]

District Magistrate
Shimoga.
N^o. 23/2. 32
Date 13th March 1906

Office
14/3

From,

Rev^{rs} 508

M. S. Narayana
District Magistrate
Shimoga.

To, F. E. C. Carr Esquire
Inspector General Police
in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to
your Letter No. 44/14 dated
February 1906, I have
the honour to submit the
following report on the
working of the Game and
Fish Preservation Regulation
in this District during
the Calendar year 1905.

2. During the year
under report only one
License was issued in this
District for shooting
purposes in the District
and State Forests &
throughout

throughout the state
excepting the Forest
Reserves, while none of
the kind was issued -
during the year 1904.

3. The following statement
shows the total number of
Licenses issued and the
amount of fees levied
therefor during the year
for shooting purposes
in the District.

Licenses to shoot in the District and State Forests in the Province		Licenses to shoot in the State and District Forests in the District only		Licenses to shoot in the District Forests of the District only		Remarks
Number of Licenses	Amount of fees.	Number of Licenses	Amount of fees.	Number of Licenses	Amount of fees.	
1	Rs 25	3	Rs 45	10	Rs 50	1905
		7	Rs 105	11	Rs 55	1904.

4. The statement
given below shows
the number of
prosecutions under the
Game

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From

H. Ramampengar Esq.
District Magistrate
Chitaldrug.

To.

F. E. C. Barr Esq.
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated 3rd March 1908.
5th

No. 486 -

Recd by
V. S. S. /

Sir,

I have the honor to -
submit the following report
on the working of the Game
and Fish Preservation Regula-
tion in this District for the
Calendar year 1905.

2. A statement is given
below showing the number
of licenses granted during
the year for pursuit of Game
as compared with the figures
of

of the previous year: ^{3/6}

year	Provincial Licenses				Licenses to shoot in the district excluding state forests				Licenses to shoot in the district including state forests.				Remarks	
	no	Fees realized			no	Fees realized			no	Fees realized				
1904	.	.	.	.	2	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
1905	.	.	.	.	4	20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Increase					2	10								
Decrease														

It will be seen from the above statement that there were four licenses issued during the year under report for pursuit of game within the district excluding State forests, the amount of fees realized thereon being Rs 20/-

3. There were no provincial licenses ^{was} nor any pursuit of game in the district including state forests issued during the year under review.

4. The subjoined statement

in the month of February last
 as stated by the Honorary
 Secretary of the said ^{Wild}
 Association and shot
 some antelope. It was
 elicited that Mr. Fremlin
 had not only obtained
 a game license in the
 Kadur District but also
 paid an additional fee
 of Rs 20 for extending the
 license to the whole Province,
 where as Mr. Bower had
 license for pursuit of
 game in the Kadur District
 alone. Mr. Bower's prosecu-
 tion for an offence under
 Section 8 was ordered by
 this office and was approved
 of by Government.
 Accordingly Mr. Bower
 who

who is a British Born
subject, was prosecuted
before the District Magistrate
of Hassan who is a Justice
of the Peace, with the result
that Mr. Bower was convicted
in Criminal J. P. Case No. 1
of 1905-06 of an offence under
Rule 9 of the Rules framed
under the Mysore Game
and Fish Preservation
Regulation II of 1901 and
sentenced on the 31st of
October 1905 to a fine of Rs 10/-

I have the honor to be
Sir

your most obedient servant

A Rakhumun Tun
district magistrate
of Chitaldrug

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Reg No 472

No. 1509 Chikmaglur, 19th March, 1906.
Enc. nil *2172*

From,

M. Chengiah Chetty, Esq., B.A.,
District Magistrate,
Kadur District.

To,

F. E. C. Carr, Esq.,
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No4771/182, dated the 15th March, 1906, I have the honor to state that a fee of Rs. 15 is levied for a District State Forest license under the authority of clause (a) of Government Notication No.1677/J.153, dated the 28th July, 1902. (Mysore Gazette No.31, dated the 31st July, 1902, Part 1, page 392).

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Uri Anablas

For District Magistrate,

A.M.S.

Kadur District.

Recd

24/3/06

W^o 1419
Enc. nil

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By 20451

Deputy Commissioner's Office,
Kadur District,
Chikmagalur, 7th March, 1906.

From,

M. Chengiah Chetty, Esq., B.A.,
By Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

To,

F. E. C. Carr, Esq.,
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

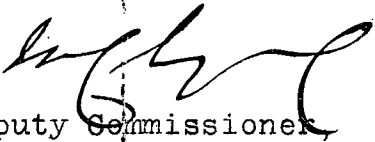
Sir,

With reference to your letter, No. 4488/
171, dated the 2nd instant, I have the honor to state
that the amount of fees collected for each of the below
noted licenses was as shown hereunder against each of
the said licenses.

To 20447/1906-15-3-28

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

A.M.S.

- 1. District Game license (No. 53) ----- Rs. 265/-
- 2. District State Forest license (one only) --- Rs. 15/-
- 3. Provincial Game license (one only) ----- Rs. 25/-

Question
authenticity
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4.30 P.M.

From

The Inspector General of Police

in Mysore.
F. no: 6 of 05-

To

S. no: 6 -

The Secretary to the Govt. of

H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

Genl. & Rev. Departments.

Dated

21st } August 1906.

Despatched

Received

General No. 1429
No. 150

Enclosure No.

Submits report with
reference to para 3 & 4 of his
letter no. J. 3087/leg 26.4 dated
4th May 1906 re the Game & Fish Pre-
-servation Regulation and Rules.

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No. 1429
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Office of the
Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 21st August 1906.

From.

F. E. C. Carr Esquire,
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

To.

K. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

References :-

Paras 3 and 4 of your letter No. J 3087/Leg. 346-4
dated 4th May 1906 and this Office letter No. 6453/737 dated
31st May 1906.

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I have the honour to make the following report :-

- (i) All the District Magistrates report that copies of the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation and Rules have been distributed in all the Taluks of their Districts for circulation and due publicity.
- (ii) That, no failure of duty on the part of the village and Forest officials was brought to their notice. This is a very optimistic statement of facts. That no failure of duty was reported is doubtless correct, but that no such failure of duty occurred is beyond belief.

(iii)

(iii) Excepting in Hassan, it has been reported that there was no necessity to employ temporary watchmen.

The District Magistrate of Hassan states that the President of the Game and Fish Preservation Association ^{has} ~~had~~ employed from time to time, temporary watchmen to give information regarding unlawful destruction of Game, and that a Constable had also been specially deputed for the same purpose.

(iv) No rewards in cases of conviction for surreptitious shooting were given to informants in any of the Districts except Hassan, where an informant in one case was given a reward out of the fine recovered from the accused.

(v) All District Magistrates report that they have used their discretion in refusing to grant new gun licenses and renew old ones. I doubt very much whether District Magistrates in the Malnaad Districts have exercised their discretion in this matter sufficiently. In the malnaad Taluks of Mysore, Mr Sparkes has taken a very keen personal interest in the working of the Regulation under reference, and has probably kept a strict watch on the issue of licenses.

(vi) In the Hassan and Kadur Districts after the proposed Census of Arms has been carried out we shall be in a better position to judge whether this is so or not.

(vii) With regard to para 4 of your letter under reply the District Magistrate of Kadur explains " that out of the five Taluks and two Sub-Taluks of the District, all except Kadur, are " malnaad Taluks abounding in wild animals, such as wild boars " &c., and as the houses in each village are far from one another " the headman of every family takes a license to possess a fire-
" arm for the protection of person, property and crops. I shall
" however institute necessary enquiries to reduce the number."
There is some truth in this, but I fear that for every license taken out in the malnaad at least two guns are kept. In one

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case of search four or five were found.

(viii) The original replies from District Magistrates together with a statement containing replies to the queries of Government are enclosed for information.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



Inspector General of Police.

R. C. L.

				defuted on detective duty.		
6	Shimoga	Copies have been distributed to Talukhs lately.	do	do necessity.	do Cases and do rewards.	24 fresh applications refused and renewal of 29 old licenses declined.
7	Kadur	Copies distributed to all Talukhs.	do	Found unnecessary.	do rewards given.	12 fresh applications refused.
8	Chitaldrug	Due publication given by Com - Com.	do	do necessity.	do Cases. do rewards.	2 fresh licenses refused.

W. C. Carr

Inspector General of Police.
B.M.

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 Secretary's letter No. 3087 dated 4th May 1906 requesting to be informed as to what steps have been taken
 to give effect to the directions contained in Paras 4, 5 and 6 of Government Proceedings No. 3328-40 dated 20th May 1906 and in particular
 to the Sub paras i to v of Part I of the above letter.

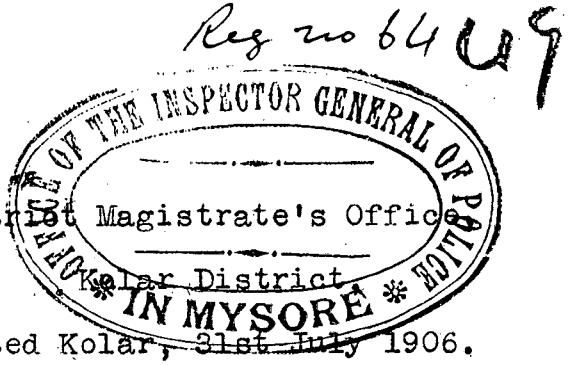
The replies of all the District Magistrates regarding the above points are noted below:-

Sl. No.	District	(i) Whether copies of the Game Rules and Regulation have been posted up at Police Stations and Chavadies.	(ii) Whether there is reason to think that village and forest officials have failed in their duty to prevent unlawful forms of destruction of game.	(iii) In how many cases advantage was taken of the offer made by Govt. to sanction the employment of temporary watchmen out of the realization from license fees.	(iv) In how many cases of conviction for surreptitious shooting rewards were given to informants.	(v) In how many cases District Magistrates used their discretion to decline to issue new or renew old gun licenses.
1	Bangalore.	Copies distributed to Taluqs to be posted up in Police Stations and Chavadies.	No	There was no such case.	No rewards were given.	214 applications for fresh licenses were refused.
2	Kolar.	Copies posted in Chavadies and Stations and due publicity given by town - town.	No	Do -	No cases. No rewards.	8 fresh applications were refused and one old one declined to be renewed.
3	Tumkur.	Copies distributed to Taluqs for circulation.	No	Do -	No rewards were given as there were no cases.	9 fresh applications were refused.
4	Mysore.	Do - and Sherikdars instructed to give due publicity to the rules.	No	Do -	No rewards.	Number of refusals ordered was 12.
5	Hassan.	Copies posted at all Stations.	No	The President of the Game Association had the services of temporary watchmen and a constable was specially	In one case reward was given to informant.	2 fresh applications were refused and renewal of 2 old licenses declined.

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District Magistrate's Office



Dated Kolar, 31st July 1906.

From

C. Srikantesvara Aiyar Esqr., B.A. B.L.,
District Magistrate, Kolar District.

To

F. E. C. Carr Esquire,
Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 6209/P.C.322 dated 18th May 1906, forwarding copy of letter No. J.3087/Leg.136-4 dated 4th May 1906, from the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, requesting to furnish certain information regarding the working of the Game Regulation and Rules in this District, I have the honor to state as follows:-

2. Due publicity by tom-tom has been given to the Game Regulation and Rules in all villages of this District, and copies of the rules have been posted in all Police stations and Chavadies of important villages.

3. No cases in which the Village and Forest officials have intentionally failed in their duty to prevent unlawful forms of destruction of Game have been reported. But, they do not appear to have been exercising the vigilance required of them to prevent unlawful destruction of Game, and the recent proclamation of the rules may rouse their attention in this direction.

4. There has been no necessity in this District, to employ temporary watchmen to prevent unlawful forms of Game. Advantage will be taken of Government sanction when necessary

to entertain such watchmen for special protection of any area.

5. There were no offences in this District, under the Game Regulation during 1905-06. It is duly published that informants will be rewarded in cases where conviction is secured.

6. Grant of new licenses under the Arms Regulation, was refused in 8 cases, and in one case, renewal was declined, as the licensee was reported to be an objectionable character

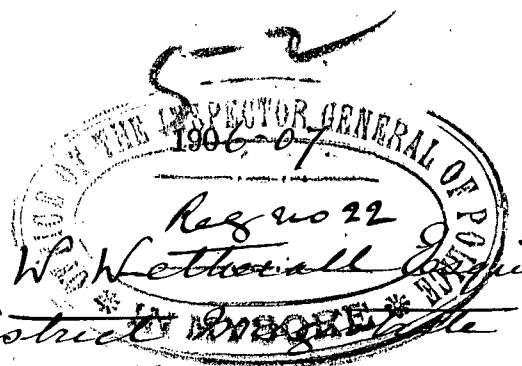
I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for *for* District Magistrate,
for Kolar District.

FROM
P. R. W. Hetherall Esquire
District Inspector
Hassara



To
F. E. C. Carr Esquire
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore,

Dated 9th July 1906
Despatched 11th July 1906

Received

General No. 20
No. Indl
Enclosure No.

Bangalore
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Hetherall

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I think
we have received
letters from all the
The
12-7-06

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replies have
been received except that
the request-reminder has
been issued to Mr. Volant
12-7-06

Sir,

Adverting to your
letter no: 6209 dated 18th
P.C. 322
May 1906 forwarding copy
of Government Secretary's
letter no: J. 3087-Legis 136-4
dated 4th idem for
submission of a report
furnishing the information
as required in para 3
of the letter, I have the
honour to state that
a copy of your letter
together with a copy of
the Government Secretary's
letter quoted above

was

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was forwarded to all the officers concerned in this District including the Assistant Superintendent of police and the District Forest officer requiring them to furnish the necessary information required in para 3 of Secretary's letter.

2. From the replies received it is apparent that (i) Copies of Game Regulation and Rules have been posted up at all police Stations and printed copies of the same obtained from the Government press have been supplied to all Amildars for being posted up at Village Chowdies, (ii) that instances of Village and Forest officials having failed in their duty to prevent unlawful forms of destruction of game have not been brought to notice, (iii) that the President of the Game Association ~~and~~ had the services of some temporary watchmen to give information regarding the unlawful destruction of game.

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game; and under instructions of the Deputy Commissioner a Constable was specially deputed to go about likely localities with a view to the detection of offences against the game laws. (IV) In one case under the Game Regulation an informant was given a reward which was awarded out of the fine realized from the accused who was convicted in the case.

3. Concerning Sub para (V) of the Government Secretary's letter I beg to state that in Muzerabad Taluk, the Sub-Division Magistrate of Saklespur acting under general instructions issued by me, refused to renew gun licenses in 13 instances, and concerning other parts of the District I refused to renew the gun licenses of 7 persons and declined to grant gun licenses to 2 new applicants.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

M. Wetherall

District Magistrate

Hassan

Reg no 734
District Magistrate's Court.
Shemola 26th June 1906

No. 3195 Mt.

From. M. S. Narayana Rao Esquire
District Magistrate
Shemola

To, J. E. C. Carr Esquire
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore

Sir,

/ With reference to your letter no.
6209 of the 18th May last and
S.C. 322
reminder no 6659 of the 11th instant
S.C. 339
I have the honour to forward here-
with a memo furnishing the infor-
mation required therein.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. servant.

M. Narayana
District Magistrate
Shemola

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Memo

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- (I). Whether copies of the Game Regulation & Rules have been posted up at Stations and Chavadies
 Copies have been received recently and they will be sent to the Police office for distribution to stations and chavadies.
- (II). Whether there is reason to think that village and Forest officials have failed in their duty to prevent unlawful forms of destruction of Games.
 No.
- (III). In how many cases advantage was taken of the offer made by Govt. to sanction the employment of temporary watchmen out of the realizations from license fees.
 No such cases.
- (IV). In how many cases of conviction for surreptitious shooting rewards were given to informants.
 Do
- (V) In how many cases District Magistrates used their discretion to decline to issue new or renew old gun licenses
- | | Declined to issue new licenses | Declined to renew old licenses |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1905- | 10 | 16 |
| 1906 from January up to date | 16 | 13 |

Shemala }
 26.6.06 }

Muniraj

District Magistrate
 Shemala

For

57 Reg no 993
1905-6

From

The Dist. Magistrate
Bam palone & Co.

To

The Inspector General
of Police in Mysore

Dated 20.

Despatched 1. June 1906.

Received. 22nd

General No.

J No. 1366

Enclosure No.

head Clerk

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His No. 6209 of 18.5.06.
P.C.322

Submits report with
reference to para 3 of
the Secretary's letter to
his address
in connection with
Game Rules.

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Bangalore District:
District Magistrate's Office
Bangalore 20th June 1906.

From

D. Dewaraj Esq. Esq.

District Magistrate

Bangalore District

F. E. B. Bari Esquire
Inspector General of Police
Mysore

Sir

With reference to your letter No. 6209
P.C. 322

Dated 18th May last, calling for a report
on certain points referred to in para
3 of letter No. 3084 of 136-44th ult., from the
Secretary, I have the honor to reply
as follows:—

(1) As regards posting up of the Game
Rules & Regulations at Police Stations &c.
I beg to state that sufficient number
of copies of the above have been forwarded
to Taluks and Sub-Taluks in this District
for being posted up at Police Stations
and Chavadies.

(2) With reference to the failure in duties

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of the Forest Officials, no report to that effect has been received in this office.

(3) As to the Appointment of temporary watchmen, I beg to state that there has been no such circumstance necessitating the Appointment of temporary watchmen;

(4) With reference to point 4, I beg to state that no rewards have been given.

(5) As regards point 5, I beg to say that much care is taken in granting licenses to fresh Applicants and also in the renewal of old gun licenses. During the year 1905 licenses for 214 fresh Applications were refused.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obt. Servant.

D. Senarath

District Magistrate

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District Magistrate's office,
Chitaldrug District

Dated, Chitaldrug, 21st June 1906

From

H. Ramamurugan Esq

District Magistrate

Chitaldrug District

To

F. E. C. Carr Esq

Inspector General of Police

in Mysore

Bangalore.

Sir,

In acknowledgement of receipt of your letter no: 6229/P.C. 32 dated the 18th May last forwarding copy of letter no: J 3087/deps 136-4 of the 4th Idem from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, calling for additional information on certain points in regard to the working of the game law in the District during the year 1905, I have the honor to state as follows: —

2. As a sufficient number of copies of the game rules had not been supplied in the first instance, due publicity was given in each village by beat of tom-tom to the fact of the game regulation and rules having been introduced into the Province from 1st February 1902, distributing at the same time a sufficient number

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Collected

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of Copies of the game rules among the several Talukhs in the District for distribution to all the Police Stations in them.

2. There were no instances brought to notice in which the village and Forest officials had failed in their duty to prevent unlawful forms of destruction of game.

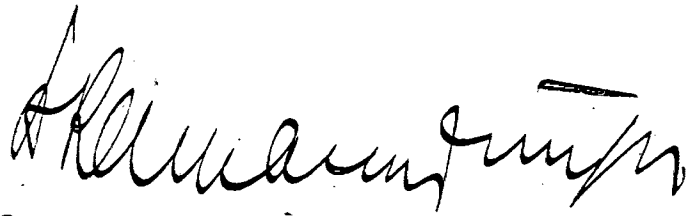
3. Government sanction was not obtained for the employment of temporary watchman out of the realizations from license fees as there was no occasion for adopting such a course.

4. No rewards were given to informants as there were no instances in which private individuals came forward to give information of surreptitious shooting.

5. Issue of fresh licenses was declined during the year under report in only 2 cases owing to the questionable conduct of the applicants as reported by the Taluk magistrates and in no case was the renewal of old licenses declined.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

your most obedient servant,


District Magistrate

No. 658-
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61 Reg no 569
Office of the District Magistrate
Tumkur District.

Dated, Tumkur 19th June 1906.

From

K. Dasa Dwani Esqr
District Magistrate
Tumkur District.

To

A. E. C. Carr Esqr
Inspector General of Police in Mysore
Bangalore.

Sir

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With reference to your letter no.
6209 dated 18th May 1906 re the informa-
PC 322
-tion required in para 3 of the letter no.
93087 dated 4th May 1906 addressed by you
Dep 136-4
by the General and Revenue Secretary
to the Government of Mysore, I have
the honor to state as follows:-

- (1). Sufficient number of copies of the Game Regulation and Rules have been sent to Talukhs for being posted up at Police Stations and Thavaries;
- (2) There has been no occasion to suspect Village and Forest Officials' remissness to prevent unlawful forms of destruction of game;
- (3) There was no necessity to employ temporary Watchmen out of the realization

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from License fees;

(4) No surreptitious shootings were reported and no rewards were offered.

(5) In the year 1905 there were however nine cases in which new Licenses were declined. There were no cases of refusal to renew old ones.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. Smerenslund

For District Magistrate.

He

No 2062

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Reg no 654.

Kadur District Magistrate's Office
Chikmagalur 15th June 1906

From
M. Chengiah Chetti Esq. B.A.
District Magistrate of
Kadur

To

J. E. C. Carr Esquire,
Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter no 209
P.C. 32/2

dated 18th ultimo, forwarding copy of Govern-
ment Secretary's letter no 3087 / Leg: 136-4 dated
4th idem and calling for information in re the
working of the game law during the year 1905,
as required in paras 3 and 4 of the said
letter, I have the honor to report as follows: -

As regards para 3.

Spare copies of G. O. no 3328-40 dated 20th
Leg: 15-14

may 1905, have been distributed to all magis-
trates, the Assistant Superintendent of Police,
and the District Forest Officer, in view to
effect being given to the directions contained
in paras 4, 5 and 6 of the said order.

3. As regards sub-para (I) (II) (III) (IV) and (V)
of the said para 3: -

(I) Four hundred and fifty Kanada copies
of the Game Regulation and Rules recently re-
ceived from the Superintendent, Govt Press,

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By mail

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have been distributed to the several Talukhs in the District with directions to distribute the same among literate Patels of important villages and to post them up at Police Stations and Chavadies to the extent, copies were available. On receipt of more copies, for which application will be made on receipt of necessary statistics from the Talukhs, which have been called for, the same will be despatched for distribution.

(II). There is no reason to think that Village and Forest officials have failed in their duty to prevent unlawful forms of destruction of game.

(III). It was not found necessary to sanction the employment of temporary watchmen out of the realizations from license fees.

(IV). In none of the cases of conviction for surreptitious shooting, rewards were given to informants.

(V). In 12 cases, ~~the~~ issue of new gun licenses was declined.

4. As regards para 4, I beg to explain that out of the five Talukhs and two sub Talukhs of the District, all, except Hadur, are Malnad Talukhs abounding in wild beasts, such as wild boars, &c, and as the houses in each village are situated apart from one another,

the

No 3187

By Commissioners of ⁶⁶
Mysore District, Dated the 30th
May 1906.

Reg no 728

To

F. E. C. Carr Esquire
Inspector General of
Police
in Mysore.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No

6209

dated the 18th May 1906,

Pol 322

for forwarding copy of Government

Proceedings No J 3087 / Leg 136-4

dated 4th May 1906 and requesting

for the information called for in

para 3 of the said proceedings,

I have the honor to state as follows:-

Clause (1) para 3.

2. 500 Copies each of the Regulation

and Rules were received in this

office. These have been distributed

among the several Amildars, the

No of Copies distributed being

in

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in proportionate to the no of
villages in the Taluk and its
importance with reference to the
same available therein, with
directions that a copy should
be supplied to each Police
station and to Patels of important
villages, and that the Meikans
should assemble the leading
ryots of the villages in the
Chavadi and read out and
explain the regulation and rules.
There are nearly 3,200 villages in
this District and the no of copies
supplied is hardly sufficient
for distribution among the Patels
of important villages. I require a
further supply of at least 1000
copies of each for distribution.

Clause (II)

I have not had any
occasion to find fault with
the

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the village and Forest officials. Very few cases of unlawful forms of destruction of game have been reported.

Clause (iii)

No sanction was been applied for, for employment of temporary watch men as there was no necessity for the same.

Clause (IV)

No rewards have been granted to informants in cases of convictions.

Clause (V)

The number of refusals ordered in the year 1905 is 12.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

H. S. Prabhakar

District Magistrate
Mysore District

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From,

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The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

To,

The Secretary to the Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl: & Rev: Departments.

Dated. 30

Despatched. 30th August 1906

Received.

General No: 1692
No: 184

Enclosure No: 1

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Forwarding for information copy of  
letter dated the 25<sup>th</sup> June 06 from the  
President Mysore Game & Fish Preservation  
Association & noting the good work done  
by the Station House Officer Hambal, with  
approbation.

No:  $\frac{1692}{184}$  21

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Office of the

Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

Dated Bangalore 20<sup>th</sup> August 1906.

F. no. 6 of 0605  
S. no. 7

From,

F. E. C. Carr Esquire,  
Inspector General of Police  
in Mysore.

To,

K. S. Chandrasekhara Iyer Esquire, B.A., B.L.,  
Secretary to the Government of  
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,  
General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No: 1429/150 dated 21st instant, I have the honor to forward—herewith for the information of Government copy of letter dated the 25th June 1906 from the President of the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Association to the Assistant Superintendent of Police, Hassan District.

It might be noted in the Review of the working of the Regulation, that as regards the work of the Police under the Regulation, the Station House Officer, Hanbal, has earned the appreciation of the Association for his activity and zeal.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



Inspector General of Police.



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MYSORE GAME AND FISH PRESERVATION ASSOCIATION.

Dated 25th June 1906.

The Superintendent of Police,  
Hassan District.

Sir,

I beg to inform you that I am desirous of giving the Police Duffedar of Hanbal Station a small reward of say, Rs 25/- (twenty five) to shew our appreciation of the energy, tact and determination he has showed in the preservation of Game and Fish in this Hobli. Perhaps I may be allowed to remark that this officer, in my opinion, is a striking contrast to his predecessors. I will therefore be extremely obliged if you will kindly get me the necessary permission from the proper quarter.

I remain &c.,  
( Signed.) A. R. Park.

President.  
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" C O P Y "

  
Inspector General of Police.  
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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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Letter No.5347/594 dated the 12th April 1906 from the Inspector General of Police in Mysore, forwarding a report on the working of the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Regulation II of 1901, and the rules thereunder for the year 1905.

2. The General and Revenue Secretary's letter No.J.3087/Leg.6-4 dated the 4th May 1906 to the Inspector General of Police calling for additional information on certain points.

*Done  
5/4/07*

3. Correspondence ending with letter No. 1692/184 dated the 30th August 1906 from the same officer, replying to the above and forwarding a copy of a letter addressed to the Assistant Superintendent of Police, Hassan District, by the Honorary Secretary of the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Association bringing to notice the good work done by the Station House officer of Hanbal and asking for permission to show the appreciation of his work by the grant of a reward of Rs.25.

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Order thereon No. *41911-20/Leg. 6-05-8*  
*25 8/1/07*

The reports on the working of the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation and the rules thereunder for the year 1903-04 submitted by the District Magistrates having been found to be defective in certain particulars, Government directed, in their order No.J.3328-40/Leg.15-14 dated the 20th May

1905, reviewing those reports, that future reports should be submitted by the District Magistrate to the Inspector General of Police who should submit them to Government with a general resume for the whole State. On the suggestion of the Inspector General, the Government in their order No.536/Leg.6-2 dated the 2nd August 1905, directed that the report might be submitted for the calendar year instead of for the official year. The Inspector General has accordingly submitted the first report of the kind for the year 1905.

2. The total number of licenses issued under the Regulation during the year was 226 for the whole State, 198 of which were District game licenses, 13 were District game licenses including permission to shoot in State forests, and the remaining 15 were Provincial game licenses. Of these 226 licenses, 151 were taken out by Europeans and Eurasians and the rest by Indians. The amount of license fees realized was Rs.1,560.

3. 36 cases involving 124 persons were prosecuted for breach of rules, with the result that 21 cases involving 87 persons ended in conviction, 12 cases involving 34 persons ended in discharge or acquittal and 3 cases involving 2 persons were pending trial at the close of the year, while one person escaped. The only District in which there <sup>was</sup> ~~were~~ no prosecutions, <sup>& the circumstance</sup> ~~which~~, was Kolar, ~~which~~, it is reported, was due to endeavours made to put down surreptitious shooting and to the

wide publication of the Game Rules.

4. It is satisfactory to note that copies of the Regulation and the Rules thereunder have been distributed in all the Taluks of the State for circulation and <sup>that</sup> due publicity is given to them.

5. The District Magistrates report that no failure of duty on the part of the Village and Forest officials in connection with the enforcement of the Regulation was brought to their notice. As observed by the Inspector General this appears to Government to be a rather optimistic statement of the facts. That no failure of duty was reported is doubtless correct, but it does not follow that no failure of duty occurred. Complaints have been very often made that the provisions of the Regulation are not rigidly enforced and that surreptitious shooting is still largely carried on in the Districts under cover of licenses obtained either for the protection of crops or for self defence. Now that sufficient publicity has been given to the rules, it is the primary duty of the local authorities to keep a stricter watch over the doings of the local Shikaris or sportsmen and prevent ~~all~~ unlawful destruction by bringing to light all infringements of the Rules. The District Magistrates and the subordinate magistracy should also see that the Rules are strictly enforced.

This para has been added with ref: to D.D. correspondence between the Dewan & the Honble the Resident (p. 4).

The Government are pleased to note that the Police Station House Officer of Hanbal in the Hassan District has shown himself to be

very energetic in the enforcement of the Regulation. But they are unable to sanction <sup>his</sup> the acceptance of a reward of Rs.25 which the Secretary to the Association has sought permission to give him, as the acceptance of rewards by public officers from private persons ~~or~~ bodies is inexpedient in the interests of the morale of the service. At the same time, Government acknowledge their indebtedness to the Association for bringing to notice cases of infringement of the Regulation and the Rules and the readiness with which they have co-operated with the Government in the matter of game and fish preservation.

*Print*

*16/1-09*  
Secretary.

To

The Inspector General of Police in  
Mysore.  
*Shri Dr. K. S. Narayana*  
The Honorary Secretary, Mysore Game  
and Fish Preservation Association.

*Typed  
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7/1/07  
Recd 20/7/07*

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SECRETARIAT.

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by the District Magistrates to  
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which there was no prosecution  
was Kolar, which, it is reported,  
was due to endeavours made  
to put down surreptitious  
shooting and to the wide  
publication of <sup>the</sup> same rules.

4. It is satisfactory  
to note that copies of the  
Regulation and the rules  
thereunder have been distributed  
in all the taluqs of the State  
for circulation and due  
publicity is being given to them.

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reports that no failure of  
duties on the part of the village  
and forest officials in connection

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of the ~~State~~ <sup>Imperial</sup> service.

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~~body will be a matter of~~  
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with the Government in the  
matter of game & fish preservation.

~~W. J. M.~~  
Secretary

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Preservation Association.

W. J. M.  
6/12/06

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<sup>the rules</sup> might come to their notice. The District

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~~lated~~ strictly enforced.

It is satisfactory that in nearly 300 cases applications for renewal of licenses or grant of new licenses were declined during the year by the District Magistrates.

I have gathered this from the reports -